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DANIELS SAYS TO STOP ALL WORK ON BATTLESHIPS

Entire Naval Construction Program Held Up-May be Abandoned-New Type of Fighting Machine is Cause—Experts to Europe

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Possible ty that the whole battle cruiser program of the may, involving an expenditure of nearly a half billion deliars, will be abandoned in favor of a new type of cruiser battleship, was indicated by an announcement today, that Secretary Duniels had ordered suspension of work on the six 35-knot cruisers already authorized, outil a description of the six 25-knot cruisers already authorized, outil a description. cruisers already authorized, ontil a de-ciston as to the future type of capital ship could be reached.

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There is a wide difference of opinion among American haval officers as to whether the slow battleship and the fast cruiser should not give way in the fature to a ship combining the power of the one and nearly the speed of the other, and because of this fact, congressional committees have deferred action on an additional cruisers until a full report on new types can be made by the department.

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First Controversy in Years The navy has not had a similar con-iroversy of ship design for ten years, in this case the navy general board, charged with deciding upon the miliagrees with the opinion of the high officers who have had experience overseas in the present war. On the board are two former commanders of the Atlanta federal and Fletcher. They believe that the contract of the second second for three or four processing the second second second for three or four processing the second sec tary characteristics of new ships dis-agrees with the opinion of the high officers who have had experience overratic fleet, Rear Admirals Langer and relation of both dreadmanghts and Ury.

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NEWS EPITOME

Full peace terms expected to be an nounced within a few days after

Russians reported to be dying in terrible numbers in Moscow. British tradesmen demand to know the facts about business restric-

fin is in the grip of an epidemic of murder and plunder. Havana strike adds murder to its list of events.

DOMESTIC

Daniels stops all work on battleships, pending investigation of

Bloody revolution is the bolsheviki program to destroy the United States government.

Fellowing supreme court's decision sustaining Debs' conviction, labor demands that high court pass on constitutionality of espionage law. Senator Lodge and President Lowell of Harvard to debate tomorrow night on league of nations.

LOCAL

Thousands crowd chamber at state house to hear Vice President Mar-

house to hear Vice President Mar-shall address legislature. Over governor's veto senate passes bill giving premium of \$10,000 for first oil well brought in Arizona. Twenty-fifth annual conference Congregational church begins

Wednesday. Thirty delegates from Imperial val-

First Herd of Buffaloes Is Sold In Neb.

OMAHA, Neb., March 10.-What is said to be the first herd of buffaloes ever offered for sale on any open market in the world was received in South Omaha this morn-

The hard, consisting of 18 cows. four yearling calves and a huge bull, is part of a herd of 250 buffalo from the famous Trinchera ranch, formerly owned by General Palmer and located near Fort Garland, in southwestern Colorado.

The bull in this herd, which was purchased in Chicago for \$1,000, is a veritable monarch of the desert and weighs 2200. The cows weigh on an average 1200 pounds each. The herd being privately owned and raised on a private ranch, the government has offered no objec-

UNJUST SENTENCES MAKE BOLSHEVISTS

BRITISH TRADESMEN DEMAND BARE FACTS

trade policy. He said the entire busi-ness community was in a state of un-rest and uncertainty, and that he de-sired to know what trade could be sired to know what trade could be done and under what conditions. The United States, he added, was doing a large business in markets formerly British, in Asia and South America, and Japan also was contrar - cade.

materials required for the industries, Semi-manufactured articles, Sir Auckbind added, would be admitted free, except so far as they were being produced by industries which it was es-

manufactured articles would be sub-ject to restrictions until the first of September, he continued, when the case would come up for revision. There september, he continued, when the ase would come up for revision. There a sailor approached a small body of yould be no restrictions he said, on exports to non-blockade countries, except on foods required for naval and troops advanced to meet him and were military purposes or home consumption or manufacture. The government, be declared, hoped this policy would enable the country's trade to recover and become greater than ever.

CANCELLED CONTRACT KEEP MEN FROM JOBS

SEATTLE, WASH, March 10 .-Ship yard owners in Seattle, Tacome and Aberdeen prepared today for the reopening of their yards tomorrow, following the voting of the workers who have been on a strike for seven weeks, to return to work under conditions prevailing when they walked

Employers estimated \$10,000,000 have been lost by the workers in wages dur-ing the strike. Union officers said the return of the strikers will not constitute a waver of their strike demands or the acceptance of the Macy board wage scale, against which the strike

was primarily waged.

The union leaders declare the strikers are ordered back to work until April 1, when the Macy award expires. In the meantime, a wage conference is to be held in Washington, D. C. Between 200 and 250 metal trade corkers who have been on strike in Oberdeen, were refused work today, ben they applied for their old jobs the yard of the Grays Harbor Metal

RUSSIAN'S DYING IN RAILROAD STATIONS WHILE OTHERS SLEEP

Typhus, Unrestrained, Has Pest Hule of Moscow-People too Weak to Resist Armed Bolshevik

PARIS, March 10.—(By the Associated Press)—Typhus is adding to the horrors of hunger and disorder it Moscow, which the population has christened the "grave yard," according to a British business man who has justice to the present the arrived in Paris from Russia. Then are no disinfectants or medicines witwhich to fight the epidemic and no scap. Hot water is scarce because of the shortage of fuel and the result is that the freezing and disheartened population is unable to protect itself.

Recently railroad officials in Moscow. Recently railroad officials in success, the business man reports, ordered the crowd out of the central railway station in order to clean it, and found the holdes of five victims of the typhus which had been lying for days among the pensants sleeping on the floor. The the pensants sleeping on the Hoor. The undertakers are unable to meet the demands upon them and the bodies of typhus victims await burial for weeks. The winter has been unusually cold in Moscow and there has been no heat in the houses. The Britisher says that the non-holsheviki population is so underfeet that it has been unable to resust NEW YORK, March 10.—Describing in Moscow and there has been in heat on the houses. The Britisher says that American army as "things that make the non-holsheviki population is so underfed that it has been unable to resist States Senator George E. Chamberlain.

Streets Dark at Six Under the orders of the soviet government, the signs of all private con all remaining stores have been nation alized, but the stocks are so small and incomplete that the clerks make little effort to serve the public. The shops open at 19 in the morning and close at 4 and by 8 o'clock the streets are dark

The Britisher says that there apparently has been a great increase in the number of Chinese troops in Mos-ow. He says that the Letts and Chinese are the only forces that Lenine and Trotsky regard as loyal. He says that Russians of all classes are serving the soviet government in order to protect their families and to obtain tood, but that the trustain rea guards say frankly they will not fight for the bolsheviki against organized forces from outside Russia. When the Eritisher left Moscow, cat

and dog meat was selling for five roubles a pound and horse meat was bringing 18 roubles a pound. Beef oc-casionally was sold secretly by the peasants for 28 roubles a pound. Butpeasants for 28 roubles a pound. But-ter, when available, brought 150 roubles a pound. A pound of sugar brought the same sum, but sugar was hard to get. Occasionally a little black flour sold in villages dispart from Moscow and Petrograd for about \$2 a pound. Roubles exchange fluctuates between als and ten cents.

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Lack of coal and oil and the dilapifacts of coal and oil and the diapidation of the rolling stock has reduced the number of street cars and railroad trains so that there is terrible crowding and congestion at stations, resulting in the spread of disease.

People are Unarmed

"I wish that people outside of Rus-sia who insist that the Russians in soviet Russia should arise and oversituation," said the Britisher. "They would appreciate how impossible it is to upset Lenine and Trotsky. When armsd robbers attack unarmed men the latter have to surrender their purses it is the same with the bolsheviki, he cause they have all the arms and am

munition. The scattered groups which have proposed the bolsheviki did little mor then commit suicide. In my opinion, starvation and misery will continue in LONDON, March 18.—Sir Dennid Moscow and Petrograd until outside McLean, liberal leader in the house of commons, tonight asked for a definite strength for effectual opposition

MURDER IS RAMPANT THROUGHOUT BERLIN

battle cruisers should continue.

The difference of opinion began has year, when the littlish admiralty decided to after the plans for the battle striper of battlesting and plander-ing Sir Donald, said that the policy of the government was that no make her a composite battlesting and plander-ing continued throughout Sanday in various parts of the city. There was buttlesting and plander-ing continued throughout Sanday in various parts of the city. There was buttlesting and plander-ing continued throughout Sanday in various parts of the city. There was much sniping from the roots. Many spart and the forences and present continued throughout Sanday in various parts of the city. There was much sniping from the roots. Many spart and the forences and plander-ing continued throughout Sanday in various parts of the city. There was much sniping from the roots. Many spart and the forences and reconstruction. BERLIN, March 10,- (Associated

> Three looters, caught in the act, were the first to be executed, ment soldiers were so embittered by their opponents' atrocities that Herr Noske's decree was welcomed.

t of An instance of communist treachers the was noted in the Kaiserstrasse, where

gents who disarmed them.

The incident had been observed. however, and a force of government soldiers quickly appeared on the scene and arrested these spartacens. The sailor who proved to be a laborite dressed in a marine uniform, was summarily

More than 259 wounded persons were taken to various hospitals Sunday, in-cluding many women and children,

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Many bodies of dead also were taken to
the morgue. The spartacans removed a
large number of their own victims.

Kill 60 Detectives

BERLIN, Sunday, March 6.—By the
Associated Press)—A story of wholetale, cold-blooded murders, including
the shooting of some 60 detectives by
the spartacan forces, was told today
under outh by a government soldier. under outh by a government soldier who had been captured by the insur-gents but managed to escape. He and 13 other soldiers had been captured in the vicinity of Warschauerstrasse, in the eastern part of the city, and were taken into a court back of a group of buildings occupied by the spartacana

GETS TEN YEARS FOR WHAT HE HAD TO SAY LABOR DEMANDS

Socialist Lender Debs has been four times a candidate for president of the United States on the socialist ticket. The speech for which he is now held to account was delivered at Canton, Ohio, during the war. He stated there that the allied ourses of

the allied purpose of war was-plunder. He praised the I, W. W. and bolsheviki. Ten years is the

time he will have to serve.

ON BOARD U. S. S. GEORGE WASHINGTON, March 10. - (By Wireless to the Associated Press)-President Wilson this afternoon appeared to have entirely recovered from the cold from which he had been suffering. The president walked about the ship and also played shuffle board on deck with Mrs. Wilson

President Wilson received several messages today from Colonel E. M. House, regarding the developments at the peace conference and the program which has been arranged after the president's arrival in France. The president

rival in France. The president sent replies.

The president also received a wireless dispatch from the mayor of Brest, expressing a desire to extend him a welcome on behalf of the municipality of Brest on the arrival of the George Washington. President Wilson sent an acceptance, but asked that the cermonies be as brief and informal as possible, saying he desired to proceed immediately to Paris.

The George Washington is main.

The George Washington is maintaining good speed and is expected to arrive at Brest between 3 and 8 p. m., Thursday,

VERY FEW DAYS

LONDON, March 10—(British Wire-less Service)—"We have reached the turning point of the conference," says the Paris correspondent of the Daily News. "Not even when the Germans come, will there be a week-end more important than the past one. The pre-paratory work is nearly finished and the plenary convention of peace will be ready in a few days. By the time Pres-ident Wilson reaches Paris, the naval and military conditions will have been and military conditions will have been

settled.
"It is an open secret that Premier
Lloyd George considers disarmament
the touchstone of conference success
and that his insistence on disarmament for Germany is merely the first step in a general policy of pacification, in-tended to lead to disarmament in all

NAME MEN TO DELVE INTO EXPENDITURES

WASHINGTON, March 10.-Chairmen of eight of the house committees on expenditures of government departments, which the republicans of the next house plan to use for investigations of war expenditures and other departmental activities, were selected to-day by the republican committee on

day by the republican committee on committees. They are War department expenditures: Graham, Illinois; Navy Department, Haskell, New York: Postoffice, Zihlman, Maryland; Justice, White, Maine: Treasury, Dale, Verment: Public Buildings, Krieder, Pennsylvania; Commerce, Williams, Illinois; Agriculture, Eaer, North Dakota
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committees are yet to be selected.
The three committees on elections
will be headed by Gallinger, Massachusetts; Goodall, Maine and Dowell, Iowa. Chairmen of several minor committees also were chosen today as follows:
Accounts, Farrell, Illinois; Alcoholic
Liquor Traffic, Smith, Idaho; Labor,

Smith, Michigan; Patents, Notan, Cali-fornia: Revision of Laws, Little, Kan-sas; Arid Lands, Kinkaid, Nebraska; Reform in the civil service, Lohlback, New Jersey; Food control, Rodenberg, Illinois; Coinage and Weights and Measures, Vestal, Indiana.

CARRANZA NOT INTERESTED.

NEW YORK, March 10.-President NEW YORK. March 10.—President Carranze of Mexico has declined to send representatives for a conference on boats and have them board transports at Rotterdam, but these plans with this city. In this letter, addressed to ports at Rotterdam, but these plans with the countries of the conference on boats and have them board transports at Rotterdam, but these plans with this city. In this letter, addressed to with the countries of the conference o The prisoners, the soldier asserts, were compelled, one by one, to climb into a wagon where they were shot down by the insurgents. When the wagon became full of bodies it was taken away and another brought fortonight. Speakers at the meeting will include Manuel Calero, former Mexi-

COURT PASS ON ESPIONAGE ACT

Insist Its Constitutionality is Vital-Pronounce it Infamous-Passed in Heat of War-Debs Conviction is Sustained—Many Cases

CHICAGO, March 10.-Formal demand that the constitutionality of the espionage act be passed upon at once was voiced in a statement tonight by the executive committee of the new labor party The action followed the supreme court decision in the case of Eugene V. Debs.

The statement says: "Today it is Eugene V. Debs who is involved. Tomorrow it may be some loyal trades unionist who is not at all in sympathy with Debs' principles. This infamous law, placed in our statute books in the heat of war passion, strikes at the liberties of every citizen of America, yet the supreme court delays in passing on its constitutionality."

Debs was convicted on three counts, but the court passed directly on only one of these, that charging him with one of these, that charging him with obstructing recruiting and enlistment through statements made in a speech at Canton. Ohio, last June. The other two counts charged him with attempting to incite insubordination and disloyalty, and also with uttering language intended to provoke and encourage resistance to the United States government. In arguing the case before the supreme court, however, the government did not press the last charge.

charge.

Many Cases Pending

Frohwerk's conviction resulted from articles written by him and published in the Missouri Staats Zeitung, cruitetsing the United States' participation in the war. The court today granted petitions asking it to review the case of IL. K. Kircher, convicted under the esplonage act, because of statements—made in a recent speech at Elizabeth, West Virginia, in which he declared that the government in the prosecution.

by the moneyed interests. He was sentenced to two years imprisonment. A number of other espionage cases are now before the court, while about 75 cases involving charges similar to those against Debs, are pending in appellate courts over the country.

He was sentenced by Preshell Methods Continued of the day and regulted in the first fatality which has occurred in three recent general strikes, through the did not know whether bolshevist agitators were being sent into South America, but he agreed with Senator King of Utah, that it was possible to courts over the country. pellate courts over the country.

MANY UTILITIES IN FINANCIAL STRAITS

government departments have under the vere many wild rumors today consideration the organization of a including a report of a clash between the police and strike sympathizers, in over rates between local authorities, and street car, gas and electric companies and other public utilities, and to make recommendations. No legal power would be sought to provide for Also it was rumore the carrying out of these recommend-ations, dependence being placed on moral influence. The proposal was discussed with President Wilson before his departure for Europe and his approval was asked. Some announce-ment of the government's course is expected soon.

The need for some sort of federal

action to stimulate the consideration local authorities of utilities appli- thorities cations for higher rates, grows out of the fact that wages and the cost of materials still are rising, and in many cases higher wages have been granted at the order of the war labor board.

City councils, utilities commissions and other local authorities have been slow to act on applications for higherates to meet increased operatin costs according to reports to the war finance corporation, war labor board and labor department. Consequently, it is reported that many utilities face a serious financial situation.

RAINBOW STARTS FOR HOME ON APRIL FIRST

first division of the army of occupation to start home, will begin entraining for Antwerp on April 1. Orders in our city and but one step away from

ing for Antwerp on April 1. Orders to this effect have been received from headquarters.

It is estimated that about a week will be required to transport the entire body of men and their equipment from headquarters on the Rhine to Antwerp. All the locomotives and cars to be used in the transportation are to be of American make, the commanding officer deciding to use American cars because they are larger than the French.

The mayor also gave out a letter written her the large for the Large with the large of the National Social Unit organization and it was an announcement from the east that plans were being perfected to extend the experiment to all other large cities, that prompted Mayor Galvin to issue his statement.

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and German.

The mayor also gave out a letter
written by the late Dr. J. H. Landis,
former health officer of Cincinnati,

Lodge-Lowell Debate To Be

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., March 10.-The debate between United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge met here this afternoon and made of Harvard University, on the merits of the proposed constitution of the league of nations, will be held in Symphony Hall, Boston, Wed-

nesdey evening.
Senator Lodge and Dr. Lowell met here this afternoon and made tentative plans for the debate.

HINES TAKES ISSUE WITH ELLIOTT'S IDEA

Mr. Hines characterized as "unfair," Mr. Elliott's comparison of the number of employes of the Pennsylvania rail-

This infamous law, placed in our statute books in the heat of war passion, strikes at the liberties of every citizen of America, yet the supreme court delays in passing on its constitutionality."

Sustain Debs' Conviction
WASHINGTON, March 10.—Convictions under the espionage act of Eugene V. Debs. socialist leader, and Jacob Frohwerk, a newspaper editor of Kansas City, were sustained today by the supreme court in unanimous opinions delivered by Justice Holmes, Both men were sentenced by the lower courts to lea years imprisonment.

While not passing directly on the constitutionality of the act, the court in effect did declare valid the so-called enlistment section and reaffirmed its opinion that the espionage law is not an interference with the constitutional right of free speech.

Debs was convicted on three counts,

the director general," as compared with the number of employes when the roads the number of employes when the roads were under private management, is almost negligible except in the regions of intense war activities, and the most striking of these was the Allegeheny region, including the Pennsylvania railroad, where the essential coal and steel were produced and where many shipbuilding yards and other war industries were located."

HAVANA STRIKE HAS MURDER TO CREDIT

West Virginia, in which he declared that the government in the prosecution of the war was corrupt and controlled by the moneyed interests. He was sentenced to two varies of the war was corrupt and controlled by the moneyed interests. He was sentenced to two varies of the controlled by the moneyed to two varies of the controlled by the moneyed to two varies of the controlled by the declared to two varies of the controlled by the controlled b

pellate courts over the country.

In affirming Debs' conviction, Justice Holmes reviewed the case in detail and held in effect that Debs had been guilty of wilful attempt to obstruct recruiting and that the jury had been properly instructed by the lower court.

ANNU ITHISTIC not to return to work, clashes between the police and workmen began and the situation resumed its former aspects. Labor leaders in favor of ending the strike are endeavoring to reconvene the directing committee, so as to bring forth a manifesto declaring the strike at an end, and advising the men to return to their posts. An official notice issued at the close of a soluted median. WASHINGTON, March 10.—Several men who return to their duties.

which the number of persons killed ranged as high as sixteen. A large number of persons also were reported

Also it was rumored that America a marines had been landed from gunboats which dropped anchor in the harbo last night. All these reports proved

The American gunboat Eagle joined the cruiser Cincinnati and the gunboat Dubuque tonight. Teday's edition of El Heraldo, the organ of the liberal party, was seized by the police, owing to an editorial being considered objectionable by

CINCINNATI MAYOR **SCORES SOCIAL UNIT**

CINCINNATI, March 10 .- Mayor

John Galvin of this city created a sen-sation here today by issuing a forma statement to the newspapers to the ef feet that the Social Unit, experimented with in a certain district here for the first time, and which is being advo-COBLENZ. March 10.—(By the As-sociated Press) —The forty second American division, the "Rainbow," the gerous type of socialism. The mayor said:
"I consider it a dangerous institution

Rotterdam is to be used as the base of supplies for the third army, which when they applied for their old johs ward.

While this was going on, a band of spartness the trivial begin arriving the trivial b

BLOODY REVOLT Tomorrow Eve BOLSHEVIST PLAN TO DESTROY U.S.

Find Willing Tools in I. W. W .- Latter Well Organized to Spread Propaganda -Mail Evidence is Furnished by Solicitor of Post Office Department

WASHINGTON, March 10,-Mailed matter seized since the signing of the armistice has disclosed that the I. W. W., anarchists, radical socialists and others are "perfecting an amahamation," which has for its object the WASHINGTON, March 16.—Return of the railroads to a peace basis, as to their labor forces and other conditions affecting cost of eperating, will require republic," according to a memorandum their labor forces and other conditions affecting cost of operating, will require several months, Director General Hines said in a statement issued tonight, in reply to an address made by Howard Elliott, president of the Northeru Pacific railroad company, last Saturday in the second to mittee and Chairman Overman said it. would be read into the record to-

morrow Declaring that in bolshevism the radical elements of the country had for the first time "found a common cause upon which they can unite." Mr. Lamar said his investigation showed that propaganda against the govern-ment was being conducted with great regularity, and that its magnitude could be measured "by the bold and outspoken statements" found in the literature, Accompanying his memo-randum were several hundred excerpts from mail matter, showing the trend of the propaganda.

These will be made public later.

Particular reference was made by
the solicitor to the activities of the dissatisfied foreign element in the country, but he said perhaps the L. W. W. was the most active in the disemenation of propagands. "because it has at its command a large field force known as recruiting agents, who work unceasingly in the furtherance of the

Robins Testifies Again
The information furnished by Mr.
Lamar coincides to an extent with the statements reiterated today by Ray-mond Robins, former head of the American Red Cross mission in Russia, when he again appeared before the committee, primarily to answer statements concerning him made Sat-urday by David R. Francis, American

minister to Russia.

Mr. Robins insisted it was the desire of the bolsheviki to overthrow all the governments of the world, and in their place set up terrorist govern-ments, similar to those in Russia. He said he did not know of his own knowledge that bolshevists from Russia actually were engaged in trying to accomplish this purpose in the United States, but that he was convinced certain people here were en-

doin git for twenty years."
In reply to questions, Mr. Robins South America, but he agreed with Senator King of Utah, that it was quite possible that Russian reds would

ndertake to aid any radical groups Denies Francis Testimony Turning to Ambassador Francis' testimony last Saturday, Mr. Robins denied that he had gone to the head-quarters of the holshevists in Petrograd, asked about their principles and indicated his approval of them. He also denied that he had ever pretended also defined that he had ever pretended to represent the American government in Russia. Ambassador Francis told the committee he had heard Mr. Robins was spoken of in Mosciw as the moutpiece of the American govern-ment, and as a consequence the ambassador thought it wise to make a public announcement that statements coming from sources other than the

Mr. Pobins submitted to the committee copies of cablegrams which he said passed between Ambassador Francis and the state department, and telegrams and letters which he asserted were sent him by the am-bassador. The witness explained that his purpose in offering those docu-ments was to show that at all times his relations with the ambassador were valued and cordial and that he was authorized by Ambassador Francis to maintain contact with the

One of the letters was given him by Ambassador Francis, Mr. Robins said, "to provide against the possibil-ity of error in statement and subsequent refutation of my authorization manner indicated by his berbal in-

This was at a time, according to the (Continued on Page Two)

Odd Unusual Humorous

WASHINGTON, March 10 .- Spanish workers on strike will be mobilized by the government, organized as public service units and sent back to work under military discipline, official dis-patches today from Madrid say. Strikes began at Cordova March 5, apparently as the result of syndicalist agitation and have spread to Madrid, Barcelona and Valencia, the dispatches said.

Via

A.P.

BUENOS AIRES, March 10 .- The port workers still insist on payment of wages for the time lost, as a condition of resuming work. Fourteen thousand men have been out for 62 days. The total wage loss reaches about three and a half million pesos. Owners and shipping agents declare that they will not

a tunnel under the English channel to France is being considered by the government, among its projects for afterthe-war. Andrew Bonar Law, govern-ment spokesman, in making this an-nouncement in the house of commons today said he was discussing the problem with Premier Lloyd George, as a means of finding employment for discharged soldiers